

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Case Docket No. 8675

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Dear Sir

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Mehansho, et al. Serial No.: 09/939,389

Confirmation No. 3453 Group Art Unit: 1761

Date Filed: August 24, 2001 Examiner: Helen F. Pratt

Title: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING ARABINOGALACTAN AND A DEFINED PROTEIN

COMPONENT

[X] No additional fee is known to be required.

2. [] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEP.	*	MINUS	***	=	x \$84 =	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$280 =	\$
					TOTAL	\$

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Dear Sir:

In response to the May 16, 2003 Office Action, the following amendments and response is submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Amendments to the Specification: begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims: begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments: begin on page 6 of this paper.